

## MRS. TYLER FAILS TO GET A DIVORCE

Decree Refused Because She Abandoned the Nevada Colony Five Months.

RENO, Nev., July 21.—Mrs. Helen B. Tyler, well known in Washington's younger society set when she was Miss Helen Brett, has failed to obtain a divorce from her husband, Francis J. Tyler, because she disregarded an important requirement.

When she went to Reno five months ago, Judge Pike declared, in refusing her a decree, she laid her claim as a resident of Nevada open to question. In handing down his decision, Judge Pike says there was no doubt that she was entitled to divorce. The charges on which she filed a petition were desertion and non-support.

Mrs. Tyler came to Reno last August, and, since that time, has been one of the most picturesque figures in the divorce colony here. She was popular, and a leader in the plans devised for the entertainment of the colony. She is a musician of ability, and her natural voice has been trained by experience on the stage just before she became the wife of Francis Tyler.

Tyler, who was formerly of the stage, is now in business as a broker in New York city. It is understood he has taken no action to oppose his wife's petition for divorce.

The news that Mrs. Helen Brett Tyler had instituted divorce proceedings about a month ago aroused wide interest in Washington, where, only two years ago, Mrs. Tyler was a leader of the younger set. She is a daughter of Brigadier General Brett, U. S. A., formerly of the District National Guard, and later stationed in the city.

Mrs. Tyler was also well known in theatrical circles. While on the stage her name on the program was Carmel Esphos. The first that Washington knew of her stage career was when she appeared in Washington last season as a member of Richard Carle's company in "Mary's Lamb." Before that she had played in several musical comedies.

It was while on the stage that she met Francis Tyler, at that time an opera singer. They were married in Philadelphia in December, 1907. Before that time Miss Brett was in the limelight through her connection with the famous Von Haake case, in which Miss Brett was mentioned because of her close friendship with Miss Von Haake.

Miss Brett was a striking beauty of the brunette type. Her chin and complexion, Miss Von Haake was a pronounced blonde. The young women were almost inseparable. Miss Brett's friends were surprised when it was learned she went on the stage despite the opposition of her father.

## PARSON'S SERMON ON WOMEN'S WEAR

MINNEAPOLIS, July 22.—The Rev. G. L. Morrill has given the feminine population of Minneapolis a thrill by his announcement that he will photograph some of them who have a weakness for peek-a-boo, waist and abbreviated skirts to obtain striking illustrations for his sermon next Sunday, the subject of which will be "Dress, Undress, or How to Dress."

Rev. Mr. Morrill's object is to launch a crusade against the wearing of immodest apparel. He declares that many of the 1909 summer costumes are "positively indecent." Armed with his camera, he will take some snap shots on Nicollet avenue, a fashionable thoroughfare, on Saturday.

## SHERIFF IN AUTO FOILS LYNCHERS

ATLANTA, July 22.—Ordering his chauffeur to dash ahead regardless of speed laws, Sheriff McKinney of Marietta, brought into Atlanta the negro, William Webb, who has been identified by Mrs. Emma Brown as the man who assaulted her. A large mob gathered at the Marietta jail intending to lynch the prisoner, but the sheriff got him away.

## DRY GOODS DEALERS CONDEMN TARIFF BILL

Committee Representing New York Merchants Petitions President to Veto Measure Unless It Is Changed. Sees Grave Danger to Republican Party.

The committee representing wholesale dry goods merchants of New York has submitted to President Taft a brief of their complaint against the cotton schedule of the Aldrich bill which is looked upon as one of the most animated bits of tariff literature that has been developed. A delegation composed of James T. Hollie, representing the Manufacturers' Association of New York State; Charles C. Copeland, of the firm of Charles C. Copeland & Co., and F. D. Sherman and R. K. MacLean, representing the Wholesale Dry Goods Merchants' Association of New York, came to Washington by appointment to lay their case before the President. He was compelled to cancel the engagement, along with various others, because of his impending interviews with members of Congress on matters relating to the tariff measure, and the New York men were asked instead to submit a brief of their desires.

This is now in the hands of the President. It declares that "the welfare of our commerce has practically been dependent on bargain-counter political dispensation." And again: "Our national representatives, under the coercion of home interests, and not through lack of ability or conscience, have been compelled to sacrifice the varied interests of the people."

**Wants Tariff Commission.**  
The committee strongly favors a tariff commission and is in no wise pleased with the provision looking to this end which has been incorporated in the Aldrich measure. The brief sets forth:

"We also contend that without plenary powers such bureau could not compel the facts which would be necessary, and would be dependent upon such voluntary testimony or evidence as self-interest would permit. In other words, such bureau would be lacking not only in force but in opportunity to develop the true condition upon which proper tariff legislation must depend. The President is urged to veto the bill unless it can be properly adjusted. The petitioners ask opportunity to make

visual and mathematical demonstration of the increases in this schedule, and add:

"We would respectfully petition you, Mr. President, that if this bill cannot be revised in accordance with the pledges of our party, and to such degree as will meet reasonable expectations, that the same be vetoed and a proper industrial bureau with semi-judicial powers be recommended, to report back to Congress in two or three years."

The relation of the tariff to the general industrial and financial situation is set forth in these paragraphs: "The industrial crisis of 1907, and the financial panic incident thereto, was caused by the inflation throughout the industrial world, and if such abominable conditions to, if anything, a greater degree. And we maintain in our partnership, Mr. President, that if we are to continue the great history of the Republic we must give the people what has been promised and what the people have a right to expect."

**Fear Another Panic.**  
"And in conclusion, Mr. President, we cannot but feel that should another such period of artificially promoted high prices result, through this continued interference with the natural workings of the laws of supply and demand, and because of such an ill prepared and adjusted tariff bill as is proposed, that our party must answer for its lost opportunity in the face of the social and political upheaval that will certainly ensue."

The members of the committee which presented this address have learned that the investigation of the cotton schedule by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh resulted in the announcement that there are no increases of duties in it. Following this, the committee got together with a view to the submission of a petition to the President, and they have been informed that the President is looking into the detail of the cotton and woolen schedules, along with many other items. The President is going to make the tests of the determination whether the bill should be signed.

## PLUNGER NOT BROKE, HIS WIFE DECLARES

Mrs. Livermore Says Husband Is In the West on Mining Business.

BOSTON, July 22.—Jesse Livermore, of New York, famous cotton plunger, is not broke, if his wife's story is to be credited. Mrs. Livermore is here visiting her father, Phineas Jordan. "The stories emanating from New York that, because Mr. Livermore is absent from his offices there, he is financially embarrassed are all bosh," she says. "Mr. Livermore is as well off today as he has ever been. He is simply absent in the West on the mining business, and I am staying here until his return."

## MURDERS IN DREAM; SEEKS REALITY NOW

NEW ORK, July 22.—Believing implicitly in the dream he had concerning the man who killed his sister's husband, G. H. Janney, of Montgomery, Ala., is on the steamer Campana, bound for Paris. In his dream he entered a certain cafe in Paris and saw this man drinking absinthe. He saw himself kill this man, who was revealed to him as the murderer of E. H. Spencer, of Danville, Va., his brother-in-law. Spencer was killed a year ago while he was remaining alone in his house until he could secure a caretaker.

## CHARLIE TAFT SAILS IN STATE ON SYLPH

Makes Round of Visits on Yacht Sylph—Has Flirt at Boston.

BEVERLY, Mass., July 22.—Master Charles Taft is upholding the family honor and making a round of visits, using the Sylph, and making his journeys by water, at least in state. Charlie was the only member of the Taft household here who was absent. He spent Tuesday night with John Hays Hammond's young son, at Gloucester, and went to Boston to see the sights. He was hospitably received and entertained at the Cradle of Liberty, and after an enjoyable day ending with a night at the theater, returned to Gloucester. On his arrival the Sylph was sent to meet him.

Mrs. Taft has shown much improvement since her arrival in Beverly, and it is stated by her friends that there is hardly a trace of the illness that so worried the President in Washington. It is believed that Mr. Taft will be here a few days next week, as he has engagements in Boston and Salem.

## PHYSICAL CULTURE.

COLLEGEVILLE, Pa., July 22.—Instead of being dead, as horrified friends supposed, Stephen P. Middleton, physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A. at Homestead, Pa., who fell down a fifty-foot precipice near here, got up and said: "How's that for physical culture? I'm scarcely hurt."

## STATE IS IGNORED BY THE INCOME TAX

Justice Brewer So States in Discussing a Variety of Subjects.

MILWAUKEE, July 22.—Touching upon many important problems of the day, discussing in the same breath woman's suffrage, the race question, the income tax, and the possibility of his retirement from the United States Supreme Court bench, Associate Justice David J. Brewer delivered an interesting impromptu address here last evening. Justice Brewer spoke to the Association of Agents of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, of which he is a trustee.

In speaking of the income tax, Justice Brewer said that such a tax has been needed and that if the power to tax all incomes is given the Government the States will be taxed, not out of their existence, but out of their vitality. The State is left out of the matter, said the Justice, the idea being entirely up to the national Government.

"Owing to the unwise attitude of political leaders and the President who spoke of 'me and my navy' at the end of the civil war, we have been paying debts ever since and are still piling up debts on debts and we must meet them up for the future."

Switching rapidly to the race question he said:

"We have great questions that we must meet as we go along—the negro question, for instance. There is a negro question that we in the North cannot control. It is the sole duty of the South. We must encourage them in their efforts, and we must meet the 'Then there is the question of female franchise,' continued the Justice. 'The women are appealing to our intelligence, and we must meet the subject. If it is for the interest of the gentler sex that they should vote, then it is for the interest of the nation.'"

Touching upon his probable retirement he said:

"I told my wife that there are four men on the Supreme Court bench who could retire, and that I am one of them, and should retire because the statute said I could do so. I don't care what the statute says, she answered me, 'You can't do it.' There you are. I am still on the bench. My status is determined."

## ATE BAD POTATOES; SEAMAN MAY DIE

Epidemic of Typhoid Caused by Decayed Vegetables Spreads On Atlantic Fleet's Ships.

BOSTON, July 22.—Victims of typhoid, which they are said to have contracted through eating bad potatoes served on battleships of the Atlantic fleet, fourteen men are today in the Chelsea Hospital here, and one Seaman Simonton, of the Vermont, may die. Every precaution is being taken by the officers of the fleet to avert an epidemic of typhoid, and the ships from which the men afflicted with this malady were taken were disinfected to prevent further trouble. The U. S. S. Simonton has had the greatest trouble with this disease so far.

## AMID BITTER WAILS ASHEVILLE GOES DRY

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 22.—The lid has fallen on Asheville. No more will the merry villagers foregather in the evening to discuss applejack and politics; no more will the fashionable visitor ease his burning throat with cooling draughts. Asheville is dry. Compared to Asheville the desert of Sahara is a bounding, billowy ocean. The dirges played by the hotel pianists find echo in the long, low walls of the proprietors and guests. Mrs. Hawkshaw, imported by the Anti-Saloon League from South Carolina, is patrolling the village, their keen dispensary-trained noses pointing hither, and on in search of the incriminating scent. Arrests have already been made, and there will be trials tomorrow before the local courts.

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